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FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN  
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C O N F I D E N T I A L TEHRAN 4886

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ENRG, IR

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE IRANIAN MISUNDERSTANDING OF PROPOSED OIL  
CONSUMING COUNTRY COOPERATION WITHIN OPEC

REF: A. TEHRAN 3192

B. PARIS 18215

C. STATE 85246

1. EMBASSY HAS NOTED IN JAHANGIR AMOUZEGAR'S JULY FOREIGN POLICY  
ARTICLEMKPPARENT RENEWAL OF MISCONCEPTCSN INITIATED BY JAPANESE  
MITI MINISTER NAKASONE CONCERNING U.S. EFFORTS FOR OIL CONSUMERS'  
COOPERATION WITHIN OECD WHICH WE THOUGHT WE HAD LAID TO REST  
(TEHRAN REFTEL). ARTICLE HAS APPEARED IN FULL REPRINT IN TEHRAN  
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2. IF SHARED BY GOI, THIS MISCONCEPTION ESPECIALLY UNFORTUNATE IN LIGHT ENCOURAGING REPORT PROGRESS IN OECD CONTAINED PARIS REFTEL. EMBASSY BELIEVES WE SHOULD AGAIN SEEK SET RECORD STRAIGHT. HOWEVER, SINCE APPROACH WOULD PROBABLY HAVE TO BE MADZAGAIN TO FINANCE MINISTER WHO IS JAHANGIR AMOUZEGAR'S BROTHER, WOULD BE HELPFUL IF DEPARTMENT COULD GIVE US ITS ASSESSMENT OF DEGREE TO WHICH JAHANGIR CONSIDERS HIS ARTICLE REFLECTS GOI POLICIES AND ATTITUDES.

3. IN MAKING APPROACH, EMBASSY WOULD LIKE TO DRAW ON PARIS REFTEL AND/OR MAKE OTHER POINTS DEPARTMENT DEEMS APPROPRIATE. HELMS

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